



Attorney Docket No.: 56432(45107)

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

APPLICANT: Bernd Burchard, et al. **EXAMINER:** J. W. Desir

U.S.S.N.: 09/894,815 **ART UNIT:** 2614

FILED: June 28, 2001 **CONF. #** 4105

ENTITLED: SIGNAL PROCESSING UNIT AND METHOD FOR A DIGITAL TV
SYSTEM WITH AN INCREASED FRAME RATE VIDEO SIGNAL

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CONDITIONAL PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

NOTE: If there is a fee deficiency and there is no authorization to charge an account, additional fees are necessary to cover the additional time consumed in making up the original deficiency. If the maximum, six-month period has expired before the deficiency is noted and corrected, the application is held abandoned. In those instances where authorization to charge is included, processing delays are encountered in returning the papers to the PTO Finance Branch in order to apply these charges prior to action on the cases. Authorization to charge the deposit account for any fee deficiency should, therefore, be made. See the Notice of April 7, 1986, 1065 O.G. 31-33.

NOTE: For use only when no petition and fee for extension of time is filed.

This conditional petition is being filed along with the accompanying "Request for Continued Examination (RCE)," and provides for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition and fee for extension of time in response to the final Office Action dated July 14, 2005 and the Advisory Action dated November 1, 2005.

Conditional petition for extension of time

If any extension of time for the accompanying response is required, applicant requests that this be considered a petition therefor.

Status

This application is on behalf of
☒ other than a small entity.
☐ a small entity.

A verified statement:

☐ is attached.
☐ is already filed.

Authorization for payment of fees

The Commissioner is authorized to charge any fees under 37 C.F.R. section 1.17(a) to (d), which may be required by this Conditional Petition to Account 04-1105. A duplicate of this Conditional Petition is attached.

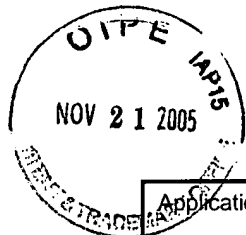


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